

**Baltimore County Department of Health  
Bureau of Behavioral Health**

Behavioral Health Advisory Council (BHAC)

<b>Subject</b>	Behavioral Health Advisory Council Meeting (BHAC)	<b>Date</b>	5/10/2019
<b>Facilitator</b>	Stephanie House	<b>Time</b>	8:30 a.m.
<b>Location</b>	Drumcastle 3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor Main Conference Room	<b>Scribe</b>	Brandi Miller
<b>Attendees:</b> Sheldon Glass (phone), Lee Ohnmacht, Allison Paladino, Clarissa Taylor-Jackson, Sharon Tyler, John Worden, Brandi Miller, Marci Kogan, Terrence Morgan, Amy Park, Tony Wright, Pat Miedusiewski, Denise Camp (phone), Stephanie House, Brian Korzec, Dan Morhaim, Bryan Shanks, Tiffany Hall, Linda Bryan, Michelle Mills, Pam Richmond, Don Schlimm, Tanya Smith, Donna O'Brien			

<b>No.</b>	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Highlights</b>	<b>Action Plan</b>
<b>1.</b>	<b>Review of minutes from April</b>	Approved.	
<b>2.</b>	<b>Introductions</b>		
<b>3.</b>	<b>Behavioral Health Advisory Council Updates</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• We have slate of members as required by the County Code.</li> <li>• Member list (voting and non-voting) to be forwarded to County Executive for approval.</li> <li>• Chair and co-chair will need to be voted on.</li> <li>• Communications is working on logo options.</li> </ul>	
<b>4.</b>	<b>Bureau of Behavioral Health Updates</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Baltimore County has implemented 8 of the 10 Evidence-Based Strategies for Preventing Opioid Overdose 2018.</li> <li>• Discussion by Donna O'Brien regarding prevention efforts with prescribers.</li> <li>• No recommendations for cuts to the FY 20 BBH budget.</li> <li>• Opioid Response Coordinator will be in the Health Dept and will coordinate activities of Health, Police and Fire – EMS.</li> <li>• SBIRT Conference was well-attended; combined efforts of tobacco and alcohol prevention.</li> <li>• MAT in the detention center started April 1<sup>st</sup>, has 13 people in the program, expansion July 1<sup>st</sup>.</li> </ul>	

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Crisis Stabilization proposal due to BHA next Friday. (City has opened crisis stabilization center and Denise has requested info)</li> </ul>	
5.	<b>Maryland Department of Health/BHA/Prevention Updates</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• BHA FY 20 Plan was approved with changes, will be posted on website once finalized.</li> <li>• Lisa Burgess is the Acting Deputy Secretary for BHA.</li> <li>• Brendan Walsh (410-402-8300) reminded there are small grants for recovery projects.</li> </ul>	
6.	<b>Member Updates</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tanya: Resource fair last week at the detention center. Have five people waiting for MDH beds. Having issues finding resources for those with a mental health diagnosis but no substance issues. RRP wait list is over 200.</li> <li>• Amy: June 5 is buprenorphine provider meeting. Trauma conference on June 20 focusing on trauma-informed care, medication-assisted treatment and provider self-care.</li> <li>• Terrence: May 29 is Mental Health Adult Resource Fair.</li> <li>• Lee: September 5 is Provider Meeting. QA mapping project for mental health and substance abuse providers.</li> <li>• Dan: Recommended having a list of all trainings/meetings/conferences. Offered to have medical examiner come address the council or have members to go see autopsies.</li> <li>• Stephanie: Fire department is now doing naloxone trainings and can leave a dose behind for overdose victims.</li> <li>• John: New Police Chief – Melissa Hyatt.</li> <li>• Clarissa: NAMI Mental Health for Faith Leaders Conference May 23.</li> </ul>	
		<p>Meeting adjourned at 10:00 a.m. Next meeting Friday, June 14, 2019</p>	